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TITLE: **KEY MANAGEMENT FOR TELEPHONE CALLS TO PROTECT
SIGNALING AND CALL PACKETS BETWEEN CTA'S**

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the non-final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on May 7, 2008. The shortened statutory period for filing a response expired on August 7, 2008. To file a response in a timely manner, the Applicants also submit a payment of \$1,110 for a three-month extension of time to extend the expiration of the period for filing a response to November 7, 2008. However, if any additional fee is found to be due in connection with this response, authorization is provided to charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 502117, and credit any overpayment to the same account. For the Examiner's convenience:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this document; and
Remarks begin on page 8 of this document.